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Biodiesel Production Workshop Scheduled in Boise

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The surge in gasoline prices is fueling interest in alternative fuels like biodiesel.

Idahoans interested in getting into the growing biodiesel production, can learn all about it at a workshop sponsored by the University of Idaho and the Idaho Energy Division.

The workshop is part of the Alternative Fuels Festival Sept 16-18 at the Centre on the Grove in Boise. Several topics will be covered including the potential for biodiesel production in the Pacific Northwest, the technology available, and potential resources for establishing a biodiesel business.

When: Friday, September 16, 2005

Where: Boise Centre on the Grove (Convention Center)

Time: 12:15 – 8:00 p.m.

Biodiesel is an alternative fuel made from renewable resources such as rapeseed and mustard oil. It has been thoroughly tested and can be used to fuel just about any diesel engine.

For registration and further information on the workshop, call John Crockett at the Idaho Energy Division, 208-287-4894, or visit the website: www.biodieseleducation.org